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## UP AND DOWN THE EAST COAST.

Brief Mention of Minor Matters Occurring at Our Neighboring Towns.

## COCOA.

Mr. Charles Creighton, clerk at Hotel Indian River last season, is a guest of the Jarvis.

Mr. W. M. Moore left for West Palm Beach Sunday, where he has accepted a position with the West Palm Beach Ice Works.

Miss Edith Mercier, of Savannah, is visiting and calling among her old friends in Cocoa. She is stopping at the Jarvis house.

Capt. W. D. Oliver passed through Cocoa on the 10th inst. on his way to Palm Beach, where he has charge again of the swimming pool.

Mr. W. G. Patterson is improving his residence on Willard street. A new verandah has taken the place of the old one and general "fix-up" is going on.

Cold wave and hurricane signals will be displayed from a tall flag-staff near the office of Mr. E. P. Porcher, near the railroad wharf, which can be readily seen for a mile or so.

Miss Carter is laboring in the school under difficulties induced by bad cold and general indisposition, nevertheless her energies keep her going and the school in progression.

It is Mrs. Joyner, who has opened a dressmaking stand just north of E. C. Johnson's store, and not Mrs. Hindle, as stated in these items last week. Mrs. Hindle continues dressmaking at her old stand.

The children are practicing their cantata in the town hall. It promises to be quite a feature for the Christmas entertainment. Now let everybody patronize the tree and everybody will be happy by being remembered.

Rev. Mickler preached his last sermons in Cocoa before going to conference on Sunday morning and evening. This is the ending of the second year which Mr. Mickler has ministered to this people and it is hoped that he may be returned here another year.

The school children complain that dogs go into the basement of the school house and make way with their luncheons; such things should not be. A place should be fixed for the children's protection or the dogs should not be permitted at large. Those in authority should inquire into and attend to this matter.

The regular meeting of the Avilah was held last Friday at the library and reading room, which by the way, is spic span clean. The annual house cleaning has been thorough and complete. The new books have been catalogued and placed in order on the shelves for distribution. There will be another meeting of the ladies on Friday of next week, and it is hoped that as many as possible will be present. At the regular meeting in January occurs the election of officers for the ensuing year.

"Coming events cast their shadows before." A beautiful and finely appointed launch arrived last week and was gotten into the waters of Indian river. The launch is the property of Col. Huston, of Chicago, who owns a fine residence on Palmetto avenue just north of Col. Travis. The family will be down early next month and the launch means much pleasure and comfort. Heretofore the trips have been made on a large sailboat, but now they will not have to depend on wind and wave.

Rev. C. Fred Blackburn, of Miami, arrived in town on Monday to visit friends and his former pastorate. The people were all glad to see him again. He was one of the most popular preachers that ever served the Cocoa people. He held services at the M. E. church on Monday evening and was greeted by a good congregation. Mr. Blackburn and Mr. Mickler left on Tuesday for Bartow to attend the yearly conference. Rev. Blackburn was the guest of Capt. Jarvis. Mrs. C. J. Coggin while here.

## ROCKLEDGE.

Miss Bessie Smith is visiting friends in Jacksonville.

Mr. Horace Shores spent last week in Jacksonville.

Mr. B. W. Jerome spent several days in Daytona last week.

Mr. A. Wheeler made a trip to his plantation at Brantley this week.

Rev. J. E. Mickler was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Hatch over Sunday.

Miss Sallie Magruder spent a portion of last week with her brother at Oak Hill.

Mr. H. S. Williams is shipping his oranges to W. J. Duncan & Co., New York.

The mails on the east coast are becoming heavier, showing that the people are coming.

Mr. C. E. Cook has been papering his residence the past week and otherwise improving his property.

Captain A. J. Canova has moved his family to Palm Beach for the winter; he again has charge of the Flagler boats.

The Bristol residence on Barton avenue is receiving a new dress of white paint and its general appearance is greatly improved.

Big strings of fish proclaim that the finny tribe is not yet exhausted in Indian river, and there is sport for the tourist this season.

Mrs. Porter, of Daytona, who has taken possession of the Bower property at South Rockledge, is here this week shipping her golden fruit.

Mr. George Hatch's horse became frightened at the automobile and pranced around until he broke the cross-tree of the vehicle attached.

Miss N. P. Ellison, of Cincinnati, O., a regular winter visitor to Florida for the past eighteen years, arrived Monday and is stopping at the New Rockledge.

Mr. C. H. Hibbs, who took care of the Hotel Indian River during the summer, has moved his family into the largest of the Wilkinson cottages.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Reynolds and two children, of Liverpool, England, were among the arrivals at White's cottage last week; they remained only a few days.

The furniture for the new addition to the New Rockledge hotel is arriving and is being rapidly fixed into place. The hotel will open for guests tomorrow, the 15th.

Rev. W. E. Smith preached an excellent sermon in the chapel Sunday morning from the text, Isaiah xl:1: "Comfort ye, comfort ye, my people." A very good congregation attended the service.

Mr. F. J. Simmons who spent last winter at Hotel Indian River, is again a visitor to Rockledge. At present he is the guest of Mr. R. L. Pettie on his elegant launch, Zorayda, cruising the river. They were in port over Sunday.

Rockledge is nothing, if not up to date. She now boasts of an automobile. Mr. H. Julius Smith arrived with one last week, and everything gets out of its way as it comes flying along the boulevard. It reminds one of Mother Shipton's prophecy: "Carriages without horses shall go."

Mrs. George N. Hatch has been especially favored by the presence of her nearest and dearest relatives—her brother and sisters. For some time her sister, Jessie, (Mrs. Keys) has been with her; then, another sister, Miss Alice Hentz, came; and the latest arrivals are her sister, Miss Cornelia Hentz, from Quincy, and brother, Dr. Hentz, of South America. It has been some years since all were together.

Mr. and Mrs. Averill, of Madison, Wis., arrived Thursday at their home in South Rockledge. They brought with them Mr. Averill's invalid sister, Mrs. Poole, of Sparta, Wis., in hopes that this mild climate may improve her health. Mr. A. D. Baldwin met them at Coquina station and carried them home with his team. Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Salmon had a nice supper awaiting them at their home, the house aired and fires burning for the day was damp and chilly.

## SHILOH.

W. C. Carpenter, of Fort Pierce, was seen in Shiloh Sunday.

Mr. A. N. Nolle, of New Smyrna, spent Sunday in Shiloh with his parents and sister.

Mrs. G. C. Nolle left Monday for New Smyrna, where she will be under medical treatment.

The singing at the residence of Mrs. Kuhl Sunday night was largely attended.

Cards are out announcing a dance at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Taylor Friday night.

## City Point's Christmas.

Editor of The Florida Star:

The Sunday school at City Point will have their annual Christmas tree exercises on the night of Christmas eve, December 24. Come one, come all and let everyone enjoy himself or herself to the fullest extent possible.

(Signed.) THE COMMITTEE.

J. W. GRISARD,

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## MELBOURNE BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

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## EAU GALLIE.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, of Brooklyn, N. Y., are staying at the Grenada.

Rev. B. F. Brown was the guest of Mr. J. E. M. Hodgson on Sunday last.

The sharpie, Lizzie, is on the ways, being painted and having her new sails bent.

Mr. J. A. Gibert will sing in aid of the Ladies' Guild, Melbourne, at the Hotel Bellevue on Friday night of this week.

An accident occurred to the launch, Grand Rapids, last week; it is being repaired and will be out again in a few days.

Captain Bennett's new launch is having the machinery placed in position; the vessel will be ready for the winter in a few days.

A card club is being organized by the ladies. The place of meeting has not yet been decided upon; the Avilah has been suggested.

Mrs. Ainsworth and Mrs. Nesbitt entertained at the Avilah rooms Wednesday; cards were the feature of this very pleasant evening.

Mrs. H. B. Davis has secured the largest fish caught this fall by trolling. It was a sergeant and weighed ten pounds. Mr. Davis aided in landing it.

Messrs. Randall and McNabb took a run to Cape Malabar Tuesday in the launch, Helen, and returned the same day, after bagging seventeen ducks.

E. S. Randall, with two row boats in tow of his launch, left Wednesday for the shooting grounds on the Banana river; John Houston accompanied him.

The well-driving plant of Messrs. Near & Taylor arrived Sunday evening from Fort Pierce in tow of the steamer, Kathleen; their next contract is on the Banana river.

Preparations for a Christmas tree are being pushed forward. Mrs. Nesbitt and Miss Miller have the work in hand, aided by the ladies' committee, Miss Hodgson, treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. Stickney are expecting a young lady friend to spend the Christmas holidays. Eau Gallie promises to be quite gay during the latter part of the month and many amusements are contemplated.

Mrs. Barbour's beautiful cottage and grounds never looked better than now, everything inside and out being in perfect order; several improvements have been made this season already and more are contemplated.

Many of the guests and residents of Eau Gallie met at the Avilah rooms Wednesday on invitation of Mrs. Ainsworth and Mrs. Nesbitt to organize a club for natural amusement and education. Mr. Ainsworth was nominated for president; Mrs. E. W. Stickney, vice-president; Mr. T. C. Burns, secretary; Mrs. C. W. McNabb, treasurer; and Mrs. Canfield, Messrs. J. E. M. Hodgson and J. A. Gilbert a committee on rules and regulations. After playing a few games of progressive euchre and being served with light refreshments the company dispersed at 11 o'clock to meet at the same rooms on the 26th inst. Some very pleasant evenings are anticipated by the newly organized club.

## MELBOURNE.

Miss Nicholson returned home Tuesday from Palm Beach.

Miss Helen Valentine's many friends here were glad to see her in town last Saturday.

Mrs. Stickney, of Eau Gallie, was in town Tuesday calling on her friend, Mrs. R. W. Goode.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Van Schaick, of Syracuse, N. Y., have rented one of the Phillips' cottages for the season.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Tyler, of Marshall, Minn., arrived here Tuesday evening and we hope to have them spend the winter with us.

Governor Gleason, Captain George Gleason and Miss Aline Gleason were pleasant visitors in town Tuesday; they came from Eau Gallie in their launch.

Miss Jessie Goode, after spending a very pleasant month with her sister, Mrs. J. T. Hogg, in Jacksonville, returned home Thursday, ready to resume work in the postoffice.

Rev. J. H. Hadley, Prof. Aldin Hadley and Mr. Percy Hadley, of Richmond, Ind., arrived here Monday evening and will remain here all the winter; we are glad to have them with us again.

The little Misses Nellie Gaurd, Alma Martin and Annie Morgan have formed a club of Willing Workers and some of their dainty work will be for sale at the Guild entertainment, at Hotel Bellevue, Friday evening.

## Variety Entertainment.

The Progressive Culture club will give a variety of entertainment at the opera house, Titusville, Thursday evening, the 27th inst. General admission 25 cents.

## SEBASTIAN.

Miss Lily Roberts was visiting the family of Rev. Lowder last week.

Mrs. Frank Houston and children returned Monday from a few days' visit to Fort Pierce.

Mr. Joe Fisher is at Fort Pierce with his nets for a few days. He came up Monday to look after business of his own.

Mr. Stanly Kitching arrived home Friday night after an absence of a few months spent in Brunswick and Jacksonville.

Mr. John Jones expects to entertain a house party during the holidays at his Klondike farm. Some of the party will arrive this week.

Miss Sallie Hall arrived Wednesday of this week on a short visit to relatives. This is Miss Sallie's first visit in about four or five years.

Rev. Lane preached his last sermon before conference to his congregation here last Sabbath. A full house greeted him morning and evening.

The supper that was held last Friday evening at the Union church, for the benefit of the building fund, was quite a success. We hardly think that the public would object to having them oftener.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hudson are entertaining two charming young ladies, Misses Smart and Hogg, of Arkansas. They are delighted with Sebastian and we hope they will find it so pleasant here that they will tarry for a long time.

Miss Edna Carlile joined her mother here Friday last, and they are pleasantly located in one of Mr. Hudson's neat cottages. Miss Edna is quite an acquisition to Sebastian society, and has already won many friends by her genial and social manner.

Capt. R. A. Hardee and Mr. Dave Spratt are preparing ground at the Spratt place just across the river, for thirty-five barrels of Irish potatoes. Capt. Hardee has an immense lighter built with which to convey his horse back and forth.

Mr. Lowder has ordered the lumber for quite a spacious dwelling. It will be rented and run as a boarding house by Mrs. Annie Carlile, of Mims. We are glad to give Mrs. C. a hearty welcome, as we believe she has the vim and determination to make a success of all she undertakes.

## GEORGIANA.

Mr. E. V. Hall is receiving quite a quantity of laths for shedding purposes.

Mr. Canata, family, and a friend stopping with them, are here from New Jersey, spending the winter in their southern home.

Mr. F. W. Munson is still interested in looking after several orange groves and at the same time gives more or less attention to his mercantile business.

Mr. A. A. Baldwin and daughter, Myrtle, are in Ankona, at his brother-in-law's, who is putting up a large residence on his home place; Mr. Baldwin has charge of its construction.

Mr. H. A. Curtiss, of Torrington, Conn., is here stopping with Rev. A. V. Hiscock, and is on the sick list, under the medical care of Dr. Chambers, and to all appearances is mending quite fast.

Captain T. G. Carter, father of Mr. A. B. Carter and Mrs. F. W. Munson, of this place, is expected from the Dakotas soon, where he is interested in railroad building and other matters connected therewith.

## KLONDIKE.

George Hall is planting cucumbers this week.

Splendid rains this week; everything in the vegetable line is doing well.

Tuesday was the banner day for transients, eleven arriving from different places.

Mr. Stan. Jones and his fine hound, Belle, were here this week interviewing the deer.

Isaac Lenard arrived this week from Titusville and has accepted a position with Jones & Son.

Messrs. Frank Diss and Samuel Howlett have returned to their homes in California; they were favorably impressed with this place.

Mr. J. O. Fries spent Thursday here; he is surveying out the road from Woodley, via this place, to Fort Drum. Mr. Howard took him over the route with his horse and buggy.

## ANKONA.

On the night of the 8th inst., the thermometer went down to 46 here.

Mr. and Mrs. Aldill came from Iowa to stay here now and improve their property. They are preparing to build a large house.

Mr. Arthur Saeger has returned from an outing in Pennsylvania, much improved in health and appearance, and reports having had a nice time while away.

Mr. and Mrs. Munson arrived last night from Massachusetts to spend the winter. They will board with your correspondent or keep house near their pineapple farm.

Mr. F. L. C. mor has been in Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Maine, partly on business and pleasure. Both he and Mr. Sae traveled by the Clyde Line, of which he can say nothing but praise, although the sea was rough some of the time.

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## CONDENSED

## STATEMENT OF CONDITION

At close of business June 29, 1900.

## RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$253,084.19
United States bonds	101,000.00
Premium on U. S. bonds	3,475.87
Bonds, stocks and securities	145,089.72
Banking house, furniture and fix.	44,417.62
Other real estate owned	6,700.00
Cash and Due from other banks	186,824.12
	\$660,591.12

## LIABILITIES.

Capital stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus and profits	28,708.93
Circulating notes	100,000.00
Dividends uncalled for	200.00
Deposits	431,682.59
	\$660,591.12

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## MASTER'S SALE.

Under and by virtue of a decree of foreclosure and sale entered in the circuit court of Brevard county, in a cause therein pending, wherein Eveline J. Clapper is the complainant and John Thomas Cleveland is the defendant I will sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash, in front of the court house door at Titusville, Florida, during the legal hours of sale, upon the first Monday in January, A. D. 1901, the same being the 7th day of the month, the following described real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary to realize the amount of the decree, viz., \$711.66, and the costs of suit, to-wit:

The west one-half of the south one-half of lot 1; the south one-half of lot 2; the south one-half of lot 4; the south one-half of lot 5, and the south one-half of lot 6, of the subdivision of section 27, township 37 south, range 41 east, as per map recorded in book "X," on page 752 of Brevard county records, said land being in said county.

ELLIS B. WAGER, Special Master.